

## **Subject**

**Element:** Subject

**Mandatory:** Yes

**Repeatable:** Yes

**Description:** The topic of the content of the resource reflecting what the resource is about or what it is. Subjects can be expressed by topical, personal, family, or corporate body terms for significant people, places, organizations, events, and topics reflected. For geographic or temporal topics, see the element **Coverage**.

**Refinements:** none

**Schemes:** REQUIRED: Use codes to indicate from which controlled vocabulary the term was derived.

### **Controlled Vocabularies List Including Code Scheme**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Name of Controlled Vocabulary</b>
aat	Art and Architecture Thesaurus <a href="http://www.getty.edu/research/tools/vocabulary/aat/">http://www.getty.edu/research/tools/vocabulary/aat/</a>
gmGPC	Thesaurus for Graphic Materials: TGM II Genre and Physical Characteristic Terms <a href="http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/tgm2/">http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/tgm2/</a>
lcnaf	Library of Congress Name Authorities File <a href="http://authorities.loc.gov">http://authorities.loc.gov</a>
lcsH	Library of Congress Subject Headings
lctgm	Thesaurus for Graphic Materials: TGM I Subject Terms <a href="http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/tgm1/">http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/tgm1/</a>
local	Locally controlled list of terms*
mesh	Medical Subject Headings <a href="http://www.nlm.nih.gov/mesh/meshhome.html">http://www.nlm.nih.gov/mesh/meshhome.html</a>
mim	Moving Image Materials: Genre Terms
Ncg	North Carolina Gazetteer
nimacsc	NIMA Cartographic Subject Categories
nmc	Revised Nomenclature for Museum Cataloging: a revised and expanded version of Robert C. Chenhall's system for classifying man-made objects.
rbbin	Binding terms: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Book and Special Collections Cataloging (ACRL)
rbgenr	Genre Terms: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Books and Special Collections Cataloging (ACRL)
rbpap	Paper terms: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Book and Special Collections Cataloging (ACRL)
rbpri	Printing & Publishing Evidence: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Book and Special Collections Cataloging [used for printing terms] (ACRL)
rbprov	Provenance Evidence: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Book and Special Collections Cataloging (ACRL)
rbpub	Printing & Publishing Evidence: A Thesaurus for Use in Rare Book and Special Collections Cataloging [used for publishing terms] (ACRL)